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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

February 13, 2002

Applicants : Yasuhiro MIYAMOTO et al  
For : GREASE COMPOSITION FOR BEARINGS  
OF INFORMATION DEVICES

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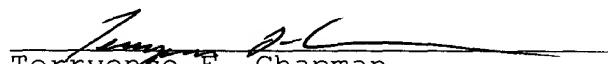
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Respectfully submitted,

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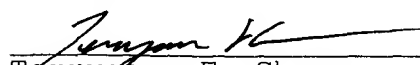
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